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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, August 31st, 1898.

YESTERDAY'S mail brought out the text of
the Kowloon Agreement, which has been
shrouded in such extraordinary and un-
necessary secrecy by the Government. For
the publication of this interesting document
we are indebted to the enterprise of the
Times, but it would have come much more
appropriately from the Government direct,
since it contains nothing whatever as to
which secrecy could be considered on any
ground essential or even desirable. The
responsibility for this secrecy rests with
the home rather than the local Government,
and the Colonial party in the House
of Commons might reasonably make
a ground of serious complaint against the
Administration that important agreements
of this character should be concealed from
the knowledge of the public in general and
of the communities more particularly affected
by them in the unjustifiable manner that
this has been. The document, now that it
has finally seen the light, is found to
contain little that was not previously
known. The area leased is indicated on a
map annexed to the agreement, which map
presumably agrees with that published a
short time ago by the Times and a re-
production of which was afterwards issued
as a supplement to the Daily Press. The
exclusion of Kowloon city from British
jurisdiction is unfortunately confirmed, but
that point was already so well established
that there was no room to hope that the
agreement would be found different from
what it actually is. "It is at the same
time agreed that within the city of
Kowloon the Chinese officials now
stationed there shall continue to exercise
jurisdiction, except so far as may be con-
sistent with the military requirements
for the defence of Hongkong. Within
the remainder of the newly leased territory
"Great Britain shall have sole jurisdiction."

So runs the agreement. Some people in their
impatience at this retention of Chinese
jurisdiction at a point within the leased
area have gone so far as to say that
we had better surrender the extension
altogether and go on as we were. It
is hardly necessary to demonstrate
the absurdity of that position. The
extension was primarily required for military
purposes, and the guns will not shoot any
the less straight because a Chinese mandarin
lives at Kowloon. The abolition of Chinese
jurisdiction at Kowloon is a thing to be
strenuously striven for, but in the meantime
it would be folly to sacrifice substantial
advantages because they are found to be
not quite so large as they ought to have
been. How Sir CLAUDE MACDONALD ever
came to assent to this reservation of Kow-
loon city to China we cannot conceive, and
shall look with curiosity for the explana-
tion that will doubtless be found in the

official correspondence when it is published,
though it cannot possibly be a satisfactory
explanation. Following on the reservation
of Chinese jurisdiction in Kowloon city
"It is further agreed that the existing
landings place near Kowloon city shall be
reserved for the convenience of Chinese
merchants, and passengers of
ships, which may come and go and lie there
at their pleasure; and for the convenience
of movement of the officials and people
within the city." This is apparently the
foundation for the rumour which has been
so badly and ingeniously elaborated into
the provision of a number of Chinese
Customs jetties within the harbour of Vic-
toria with a Chinese Trade Superintendent
to watch China's interests. The landing
place at Kowloon seems to be a natural
corollary of the city itself, and if we can
avail ourselves of Chinese jurisdiction at the latter
we need not strain over it at the former.

That the Chinese should have desired to
retain jurisdiction over Kowloon is perhaps
not altogether surprising; what is surpris-
ing is that Great Britain should have
assented to such an arrangement. The
Chinese view doubtless is that the ar-
rangement leaves them something in hand
which they can hither away subsequently
for any advantages they may wish to secure
from Great Britain, and more particularly
perhaps advantages with reference to the pro-
tection of the revenue levied in China
on imports from or exports to Hong-
kong. On that point we think the British
Government might fairly pay some regard
to China's interests, even as a matter of com-
mon honesty and friendship apart from more
material considerations such as that involved
in the retention of surrender of Chinese
jurisdiction at Kowloon city. In the old
days of the opium stations there was good
reason why our Government should hold
the Chinese Customs at arm's length, but now
that it is the Foreign branch of the Customs
that is concerned the position is materially
changed and we have to deal with a service
as honest and as far above suspicion as our
own. The Customs have and can have
no wish to interfere in any way whatever
with the legitimate trade of this port, but
for the protection of the Chinese revenue
they must necessarily keep a watch on that
portion of it which is conducted by native
craft with the neighbouring Chinese terri-
tory. Nothing but a paltry smuggling
trade can be adversely affected by the
operations of the Customs, and that
trade, apart from its discreditable charac-
ter, is not worth making any material
sacrifices to retain. The signatories to the
Opium Convention in the last paragraph
of that instrument wrote: "The under-
signed are of opinion that if these arrange-
ments are fully carried out a fairly satis-
factory solution of the questions connected
with the so-called Hongkong Blockade
will have been arrived at." Let any one
who has had experience of the state of
affairs prevailing up to 1896 and since that
time say whether that opinion has not been
justified by the result. The indiscreet
suggestion that the extension of our
boundaries at Kowloon would enable us
to throw over that agreement and restore
the smuggling trade is, we suspect, the real
cause of the unfortunate arrangement with
reference to the continuance of Chinese
jurisdiction over Kowloon city.

Monday was quite a record day at the Magis-
tracy, no fewer than 90 cases being dealt with.

The German Admiralty is stated to be engag-
ing a thousand men for three years service.
They are to be trained and sent to Kiochiau.

A Chinaman named Yang, who speaks Ger-
man, English, and French, is to enter the
German army on 1st October for a course of
training.

Corporal Frederick Gibson, of the Army
Service Corps, charged a ricksha coach with
refusing to take his journey, and a fine
of \$5 was imposed.

The N. Y. K. steamer *Kagoshima Maru*
(bound for Yokohama) for this port
yesterday afternoon is expected to arrive
here on the 14th instant.

Sir Charles Cameron Lees, who in 1879 was
Governor of Labuan, and in 1880 Governor
General in Borneo, died in London on the 26th
ult., at the age of 61.

It is reported that a Wing Officership in the
Malay States Guides is to be offered to Mr.
Jeyan of the West Yokohama Regiment in
Singapore. *Strait Times.*

The Hon. J. H. Stewart Lookhart leaves to-
day by the *Empress of India* for England to
make his report to the home Government on
the Kowloon extension.

Correspondence can now be registered for
mail for Europe, America, and Canada up to
half-an-hour before time of closing the ordinary
mails, instead of one hour as heretofore.

Our readers will be pleased to learn that Mr.
J. J. Francis, Q.C., who has been ill for some
time and has not been able to attend to his
professional duties, was well enough yesterday
to appear at the Supreme Court.

The following appointments have been made
at the Admiralty—Lieut. C. V. de M. Corpe,
who has been promoted to the rank of Lieut.
R. J. B. Keyes, to the *Centurion*, for the *Hari*,
in command, to date 15th September.

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On Monday afternoon one lot of Crown land
situated in Morison Road was sold by
auction at \$1,775, which was the highest
bid. The lot covered 5,000 square feet.
The annual rent is \$30 and the term 99 years.

Messrs. Scott and Co., Drydock and
Shipbuilders, have contracted for the
construction of a large steamship for the
British India Company, to be built at their
works at Hongkong. The ship is to be
named the *British India*, and is to be
built to the order of the British India
Company. The ship is to be built to the
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Mr. Sydney H. Morse will make his farewell
appearance this evening at St. Andrew's Hall,
where the entertainment will be under the
patronage of H. E. Major-General Wilson
Black, C.B. A most attractive programme has
been arranged, in which the talented vocalist
will be assisted by a number of our best local
artists, including a lady who has achieved
to be heard in public in Hongkong.

At the Magistrate's yesterday a woman named
Henry Willis charged a Chinaman with steal-
ing a watch. The Chinaman was charged with
stealing a watch from the woman. The
Magistrate found the Chinaman guilty and
sentenced him to 12 days' hard labour.

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THE KWANGSI REBELLION.

From Canton we learn that the Viceroy has
prohibited the two Chinese newspapers there
from publishing news concerning the Kwangsi
rebellion unless the reports are favourable to the
Imperial troops. Consequently, no reliable
news is obtainable. The Viceroy's prohibition
seems to have had a prejudicial effect in
setting against reports on foot. The
Imperial interest in the situation must be
more serious than has been reported, but it
is probably not so serious as several reports
would make out. It has been said that the
rebellious army within two days' march of Canton,
has been slowly but surely driven back to
a good deal more than has been heard of their
approach, and the latest reports from Wuchow
show no indication of any recent movement
of the rebels in that quarter. There seems to
be no doubt, however, that there is a recurrence
of the rebellion, which was recently
reported to have been suppressed.

Large numbers of Chinese soldiers have been
sent to quell the rebellion, and the Black Flag
chief and his braves are stationed at the North
Gate to protect the city of Canton. Besides the
Black Flag there are also the Volunteers.

PROCLAMATION BY THE REBEL CHIEF.
The following is a rough translation of a
proclamation issued by the leader of the rebellion
in the sixth moon (19th July-16th August).
The proclamation, our translator states, con-
tains a number of phrases from the Classics
which are incorrectly quoted and hardly intelli-
gible.

"I, Cheung, being appointed by the Almighty
to be Commander-in-Chief of the Hung Shing
Tung (name of the rebellion) issue this pro-
clamation with a special view to kicking out
the barbarians and protecting China. The
barbarians being, as is known, the powerful
people of Europe, are aiming at the exercise of
their tyrannical power throughout the whole
land. Depending on their craftiness they
try to do this by two ways. They first
try to seduce us to take possession of the land
everywhere and to seek out all the
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